

	ACCEPTABLE ITEMS	EXAMPLE	PREPARATION
Category 1 Commingled Containers Set out in recycle bin You will be provided one bin, there is a charge for extra bins.	Glass bottles and jars	wine bottle, pickle jar	rinse clean
	Steel (tin) cans	soup can, pet food can	rinse clean
	Aluminum cans	soda can, beer can	rinse clean
	PET plastic #1	soda bottle	discard cap, rinse, flatten to save space
	HDPE plastic #2	milk jug, margarine tub	discard cap, rinse, flatten to save space
	other #7 plastic	ketchup & syrup bottles	discard cap, rinse, flatten bottles
Category 2 All mixed paper May be tied in a bundle or set out in a brown paper bag	Newspaper and inserts	daily newspapers and accompanying advertisements	place newspaper bag on bottom of bin to reduce blowing and keep paper dry
	White paper	school or office papers	
	Junk mail	Advertisements, envelopes	small quantities place in bags with
	Magazines	magazines, mail order catalogs	mixed paper stacks over 6" tie in 6" bundles
	Paper bags	bags from grocery store	fold flat and place in bags
	Chipboard	cereal, pasta, gift and shoe boxes	FLATTEN BOXES remove plastic windows/liners no boxes from frozen foods no carrier stock
Category 3	Corrugated cardboard	moving/shipping boxes	FLATTEN and stack maximum size is 2 feet x 2 feet x 1 foot tall Set out next to or under recycle bins
"TAKE OUT and STYROFOAM CONTAINERS SHOULD BE PUT IN WITH YOUR TRASH (they are not recyclable) MOUNT PLEASANT DOES NOT USE BLUE BAGS FOR RECYCLING - PLEASE USE YOUR RECYCLE BIN Additional recycling bins may be purchased by calling VEOLIA (FORMERLY ONYX at 1 (800) 232-0860			